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Hongkong, July 27, 1908. 1055

NOTICE.

BY kind permission of Major Evans and
Officers 13th Rajputs, the band of
the regiment will play Choice Selections
during Dinner at the ORIENTAL HOTEL
2, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY,
the 1st August, 1908.

DINNER 7.30 P.M. SHARP.
C. FRERIORE, Manager.
Hongkong, July 27, 1908. 1054

BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of
1876 the EXCHANGE BANKS will
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Hongkong, July 25, 1908. 1045

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A GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT
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the 1st August, at 9.15 P.M.
By kind permission of Lieut-Colonel
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Tickets, 3s and 1s, can be had from
Volunteer Headquarters and Messrs Kelly
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A. CHAPMAN, Lt.-Colonel,
Commandant H.K. Vol. Corps.
Hongkong, July 25, 1908. 1045

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of \$2.00
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instant, on which date Dividend Warrants
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pany will be CLOSED from WEDNES-
DAY, the 23rd inst. to WEDNESDAY,
the 29th inst. (both days inclusive), during
which period no Transfer of Shares can be
registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT AND AGENCY CO., Ltd.
General Agents for THE WEST POINT
BUILDING CO., Ltd.
Hongkong, July 14, 1908. 1007

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Hongkong, July 14, 1908. 008

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Hongkong, July 21, 1908. 493

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2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-

ture, at No. 4, Lower Seymour Road.

Meeting.

5.50 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Phil-

harmonic Society, at City Hall.

Miscellaneous.

Goods left Delta not cleared at 4 p.m.

on this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, July 23.—

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-

ture, at Mr Geo. P. Lamport's

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Goods per Prinz Sigismund undelivered

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Goods per Prinz Sigismund undelivered after

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FRIDAY, July 24.—

Goods per Nippon undelivered after this

date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, August 1.—

9.15 p.m.—Concert on the Volunteer

Parade Ground.

MONDAY, August 3.—

Exchange Banks Closed.

Goods per Mongolia undelivered at noon

this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, August 4.—

Goods per Prinz Regent undelivered after

this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, August 10.—

Transfer Books of The Hongkong and

Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., close from

this date to 24th August, inclusive.

MONDAY, August 24.—

Noon—Meeting of Hongkong & Wham-

poa Dock Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Offices.

NOTICE.

Letters relating to business should be addressed

to THE MANAGER.

Communications relating to news should be

addressed to THE EDITOR.

Correspondents must forward their names

and addresses with any communications ad-

dressed to the Editor, not for publication but

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1908.

THE TYPHOON.

Justice demands that the Observatory

should receive its full meed of praise for

the timely warning it gave of last night's

terrible typhoon. When, in September

such storms as this are to be reckoned

as part of the established scheme of

things in Hongkong it is obvious that

local buildings must be made strong

enough to resist them. Many buildings

have no chance of withstanding wind-

pressure such as that experienced last

night and early this morning. Further-

more the Government will have to take

seriously into consideration the ad-

visableness of ceasing to allow trees of

any size on the borders of thorough-

fares. These trees constitute a very

real danger to pedestrians and to the

occupants of houses close to where they

grow. Another point to which we would

invite the attention of the Government

is that since the typhoon of 1906 ab-

solutely nothing appears to have been

done to render it possible to give assist-

ance to those in distress on the harbour,

unless the purchase of a dredger within

the last couple of weeks can be so ap-

praised. All sorts of suggestions were

made after the typhoon of 1906 for pre-

venting loss of life and property on the

harbour and it was understood that the

Government intended to take the

necessary steps with as little delay as

possible. The Government has now

received its second warning. Will it

hearken-and-heed?

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The dollar to-day stands at 1.54, a fall

of one-sixteenth.

To-morrow is the eighth anniversary of

the accession of King Victor Emmanuel

III. of Italy.

STEAMBOAT DIVIDEND.

The Directors of the Hongkong, Canton

and Macao Steamboat Company will re-

commend at the Meeting to be held on the

11th proximo the payment of a dividend of

\$1.25 per share, \$10,000 to be written off

the book value of steamers, \$3,000 to be written

off wharves and properties, \$12,500 to be

transferred to Depreciation and Insurance

Fund, \$10,000 to be transferred to special

repairs fund, leaving a balance of

\$17,750.84 to be carried forward to new

account.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT.

A Capital Testimonial.

The following is a testimonial from

Messrs Pender, Lowther and Co., Con-

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Hongkong, to Messrs Shown, Tomez and

Co., General Managers of the Green

Island Cement Co., Ltd.

Gentlemen.—We have pleasure in stating

that the whole of the Cement used on these

works was supplied by the Green Island

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In all over 52,000 tons were consumed,

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22,500 tons; Sea Wall, Concrete Blockwork

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THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

AMERICAN DISCONTENT.

[Much Ill-Feeling Caused.]

(Exclusive Service supplied by Reuters,

via Booy.)

London, July 27.

Lieutenant Halswell re-ran the 400

metres race, which was the cause of a

dispute between the American athletes

and the umpires, alone.

The Americans not only refused to

re-run the 400 metres race, but with-

drew from the whole of the events.

The dispute has caused much ill-

feeling on both sides.

Her Majesty the Queen presented the

gold medals in connection with the

Marathon Race, in the Stadium, pre-

sented a special cup to Donato, who

received a tremendous ovation.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

THE EMPEROR OF CHINA'S

BIRTHDAY.

London, July 27.

The Chinese Minister in London gave

a dinner in honour of the Emperor of

China's birthday, those present includ-

ing Mr. Herbert Gladstone, Lord

Fitzgibbon, Sir Robert Hart, the Lord

Mayor, and numerous diplomats.

THT QUEBEC CELEBRATIONS.

At Quebec, H. R. H. the Prince of

Wales reviewed thirteen thousand troops

on the Plains of Abraham, headed by

Lord Roberts, and including naval

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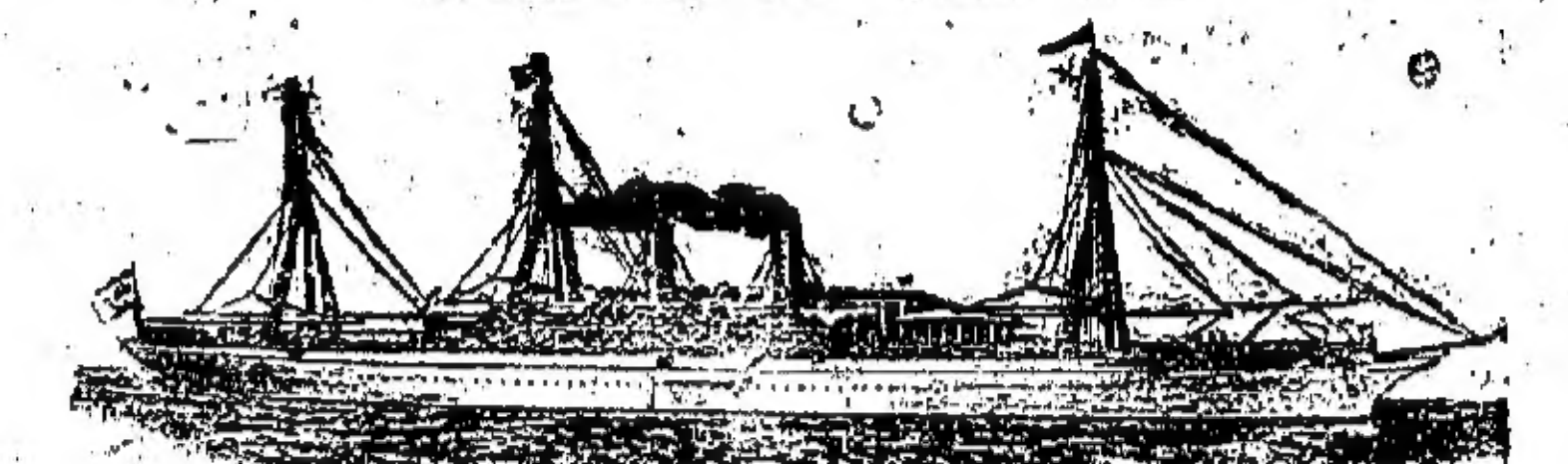
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MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP, VIA SPAIN, FARGO, CUBA & PORT SAID	SARDINIA	About 19th July.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA, AND YOKOHAMA	DELHI	About 31st July.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI	DELHI	About 8th August.	Freight and Passage.
LONDON, VIA USUAL PORTS	MARMORA	Neon, 8th August.	Freight and Passage.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. F. J. ABBOTT, Acting Superintendent.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS.	LEAVE HONGKONG	ARRIVE VANCOUVER
EMPERESS OF INDIA	SATURDAY, AUG. 8.	Sept. 6.
EMPERESS OF JAPAN	SATURDAY, Sept. 5.	Sept. 23.
EMPERESS OF CHINA	FRIDAY, Sept. 11.	Oct. 19.
EMPERESS OF AUSTRALIA	SATURDAY, Sept. 19.	Oct. 17.
EMPERESS OF INDIA	SATURDAY, Oct. 3.	Oct. 27.
EMPERESS OF JAPAN	SATURDAY, Oct. 17.	Nov. 7.

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NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINES.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL, 1908.
NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIER, GIBRALTAR, SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP AND BREMEN	PRINZ LUDWIG	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at Noon.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ AND YOKOHAMA	PRINZ REGENT LUITPOLD	About WEDNESDAY, 29th July.
MANILA, NEW GUINEA, SAMARAI, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE	PRINZ SIGISMUND	THURSDAY, 18th Aug., at 5 p.m.
KUDAT AND SANDARAN	BORNEO	Beginning of August.

For further Particulars, apply to
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Sailing Dates Subject to Change.

'MINNESOTA'	Captain C. F. AVERIN	FRIDAY, 9th October, at Noon.
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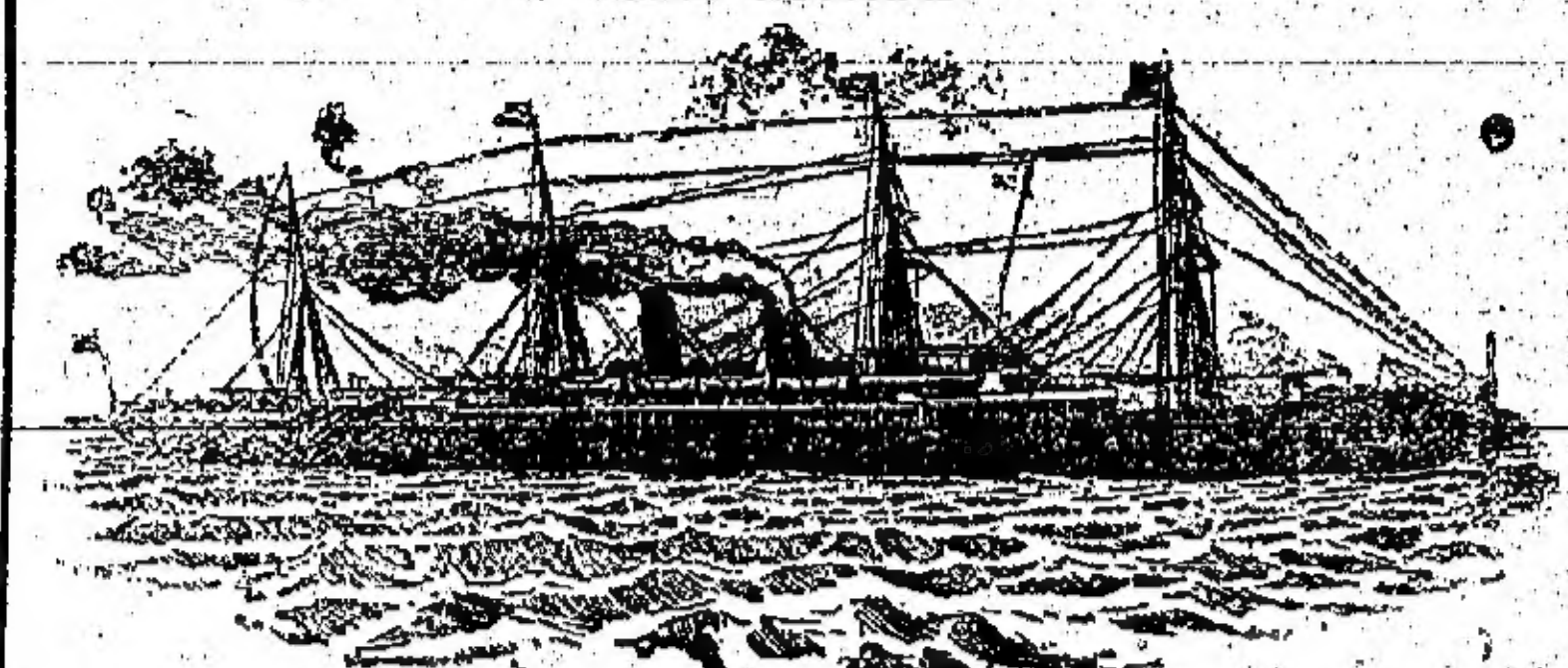
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).	SAILING DATES, 1908.
ASIA	SATURDAY, 1st Aug., at Noon.
MONSIEUR MARU	SATURDAY, 1st Aug., at Noon.
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Yokohama to San Francisco, 18,000 tons, September 15-27th 1908; 10 days, 11 hours and 5 minutes.
San Francisco to Yokohama, 18,000 tons, August 16th-26th, 1908; 4 days, 10 hours.
San Francisco to Yokohama, 18,000 tons, SIBERIA, calling at Midway Islands and Honolulu en-route, August 16th-31st, 1908, 13 days, 13 hours.
Yokohama to San Francisco, 18,000 tons, SIBERIA, 18,000 tons, Oct. 13th to 23rd, 1908 10 days, 10 hours and 29 minutes.

THE O. & O. Steamship ASIA will be despatched from Hongkong to SAN FRANCISCO, via KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, SHIMIZU, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 1st August, 1908, at Noon, taking cargo for Japan and the United States.
SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.
Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.
For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Companies, KINO'S BUILDING.

S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.

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STEAMERS	TONS	CAPTAIN	TO SAIL ON, 1908.
NUMANTIA	4371	H. FELDTHANN	29th July, at Noon.

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CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
CEBU & ILOILO	KAIYONG	July 29, at 10 a.m.
TINGTAI, OREPOO & NEWOHANG, NANCHANG	CHIEH	July 29, at 4 p.m.
HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	CHIEH	July 31, Daylight
WEI-HAI-WEI, CHEFOO & TIEN-TSIN, KIENTSOW	CHIEH	July 31, at 4 p.m.
MANILA, ZAMBOANGA, PT. DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, with transhipment for TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, ADELAIDE, FREMANTLE & PERTH	TAIYUAN	August 3, at 4 p.m.

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VICTORIA B.C. AND TACOMA

VIA

MOJI, KOBÉ AND YOKOHAMA.

Steamers	Tons	Departure	To Sail
SOVERO	8332	W. Shotton	1st August.
YUMERIC	8332	Cowley	19th August.
SHAWMUT	8332	E. W. Roberts	23rd September.
TRENTON	8332	W. T. Garlick	6th October.

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INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	MAISANG	WEDNESDAY, July 28, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	CHOYANG	THURSDAY, July 30, at Noon.
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	CHOYANG	FRIDAY, July 31, at Noon.
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	CHOYANG	FRIDAY, July 31, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	CHOYANG	FRIDAY, Aug. 1, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA	CHOYANG	FRIDAY, Aug. 1, at Noon.

RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN, Occupying 24 days.

THE Steamers KAIYONG, NANCHANG and KIENTSOW leave about every 3 weeks for Shanghai and Yokohama, returning via KOBÉ (Inland Sea) and MOJI to Hongkong, providing a stay of 6 to 8 days in Japan if passengers leave the steamer at Yokohama and rejoin at KOBÉ.

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* Steamers have superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

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MALTE	12th Oct.	CORSE	11th January.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI, TAI SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOSHOW	SHANGHAI	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI, TAI SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOSHOW	SHANGHAI	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at 10 a.m.
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SHANGHAI, TAI SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOSHOW	SHANGHAI	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI, TAI SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOSHOW	SHANGHAI	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI, TAI SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOSHOW	SHANGHAI	WEDNESDAY, 29th July, at 10 a.m.

* These New Steamers have excellent Accommodation of First and Second-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. First-class Cabins Ample, Untroubled Table.

* Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtze & Northern China Ports.

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Hongkong, July 14, 1908.

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Hongkong, April 4, 1908.

'SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS, LIMITED.

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THE Steamship

PLINTSHIRE

will be despatched for the above ports on or about TUESDAY, the 26th August, 1908.

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Hongkong, July 18, 1908.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MOJI AND KOBÉ

THE Steamship

EASTERN

Captain McDermott, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 29th Inst., at Noon.

* This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.

This Steamer is installed throughout with the Electric Light.

A Stewardess and a daily qualified Surgeon are carried.

N.B.—To secure the additional comfort of passengers the steamers of this Company have electric fans fitted in staterooms.

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Hongkong, July 27, 1908.

'GLEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND ANTWERP, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

GLENHALL

Captain Macdonald, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 30th July, 1908.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Hongkong, July 27, 1908.

Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBÉ AND MOJI.

THE Steamship

ARRATON APOAR

Captain A. STRAW, will be despatched for the above ports on FRIDAY, the 31st Inst., at 8 p.m.

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Hongkong, July 23, 1908.

FOR STRAIT, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

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Captain G.H.C. WATSON, will be despatched for the above ports on SATURDAY, the 31st Inst., at Noon.

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THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

STEAMERS to COLOMBO	Leave HONGKONG	Connecting Steamers from Colombo to MARSEILLES & LONDON	Due at MARSEILLES (Brindisi) 2 days earlier	Due at LYONPORT (1 day later)
TONS	Neon Sat'day 1908	TONS	Saturday, 1908	Saturday, 1908
MARMOIRA.....10500	Aug. 8	HIMALAYA.....7000	Sept. 6	Sept. 13
DELTA.....8000	Aug. 22	MAEONEDIA.....10500	Sept. 20	Sept. 27
DELHI.....8000	Sept. 5	MONGOLIA.....10000	Oct. 4	Oct. 11
MALTA.....6700	Sept. 18	INDIA.....8000	Oct. 18	Oct. 25
DEVANHA.....8000	Oct. 3	VICTORIA.....7000	Oct. 22	Oct. 29
COBANNA.....7000	Oct. 17	BERTANNA.....7000	Nov. 14	Nov. 21
DELTA.....8000	Oct. 31	MOULANA.....10000	Nov. 28	Dec. 5
ACADIA.....7000	Nov. 14	CHINA.....8000	Dec. 12	Dec. 19
DELHI.....8000	Nov. 28	MOLDAVIA.....10000	Dec. 26	1909 Jan. 2
MALTA.....6700	Dec. 12	HIMALAYA.....7000	13 Jan. 9	Jan. 16
DEVANHA.....8000	Dec. 26	MONGOLIA.....10500	Jan. 23	Jan. 28

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

will be held in the Offices of the Company, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, Connaught Road, on MONDAY, 24th August, at 12 o'clock

Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1908.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 10th to the 24th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908. 1070

POSTPONEMENT.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

The Company's Steamship

CAPTAIN J. S. REYNOLDS, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 29th inst., at 2 p.m.

A Reduction of 20% in First-class Fares to Foochow, will be made during the months of July, August, and September.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LAPEL & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908. 1067

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

MORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

STEAM FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship

PRINZ-REGENT LUITPOLD, Captain O. LUTKE, will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 29th inst., at 6 p.m.

For further particulars, apply to NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MICHIELS & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908. 1068

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS-POSTE FRANCAIS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Company's Steamship

CAPTAIN S. H. BROWN, will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY, the 29th inst., at 6 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to D. SASSON & CO., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908. 1071

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Steamship

PRINZ-REGENT LUITPOLD, having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tobacco, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and West Point Godown when delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 4th of August, will be subject to suit.

All Broken, Chipped, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th of August, at 9.30 a.m.

All claims must reach us before the 8th of August, 1908, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

This Steamship brings Cargo as well as Passengers from Africa transhipped at Aden.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MICHIELS & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908. 1069

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For pain in the stomach, cramp colic or diarrhoea, it has no equal.

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ARRIVALS.

July 27.

Prinz Regent Luitpold, German steamer, 3,920, O. Fahnke, Hamburg-June 16, and Singapore-July 25, Mails and General.

MICHIELS & CO.

Rubi, British str., 1,619, R. W. Almond, Manila-July 25, Sugar-Singapore, Tonga & Co.

General-A. R. MARY.

July 28.

Hanoi, French steamer, 750, J. Panier, Haiphong and Kowloon-July 27, General-A. R. MARY.

Fidini, Dutch str., 2,836, H. Koope, Macassar-July 10, General-JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN-LIN.

Yokohama, British steamer, 1,356, J. H. Brown, Shanghai-July 24, General-Butterfield & Swire.

DEPARTURES.

July 28.

Nippon, for Singapore and Trieste.

Bangkok, for Canton.

Ochidai, for Saigon.

PASSENGERS.

For Prinz Regent Luitpold, for Hongkong, from Hamburg, Mr. M. M. Pedersen, Mr. Adolf and family, from London, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Grace, and Mr. George G. Muller, from Naples, Messrs. Boothby and D. Ramon, from Colombo, Messrs. P. S. Fitzhugh and J. O. Mason, from Penang, Mr. W. J. O'Connell, from Singapore, Messrs. Mercedes d'Almeida and Maria d'Almeida, and Mr. B. C. Marsh.

The English Mail of the 27th June was delivered in London on the 27th inst.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will close:-

For SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHEW & SHANGHAI.

Per Fujin Maru, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For MOJI & KOBE.

Per Kure Maru, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For KEEUNG, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, SHIMIZU, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO & PORTLAND, (OR).

Per Kure Maru, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For YOKOHAMA, KOBE & MOJI.

Per Kure Maru, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

Per Fujin Maru, at 1 p.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For MAOAO.

Per Kure Maru, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For HAIPHONG.

Per Kure Maru, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 28th July.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG, & CALCUTTA.

Per Kure Maru, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 29th July.

For BATAVIA, OEBERON, SAMARANG, SOERABAYA & MACASSAR.

Per Kure Maru, at 4 p.m., on Thursday, the 29th July.

For HIOH & HAIPHONG.

Per Kure Maru, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 29th July.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.

The German Contract Packet Prinz Ludwig will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 29th July, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, and to the Straits Settlements, Swavia, Barmah, Ceylon, India, (via Tientsin), Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c.

Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m.

Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 a.m.

Letters at 11 a.m.

Late Letters 11 to 11.30 a.m. Extra postage 10 cents.

Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet Asia will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 1st August, with Mails for Kowloon, Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, San Francisco, United States, Canada, Peru, &c., which will be closed at 10 a.m.

Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m.

(Supplementary Mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail. Extra Postage 10 cents.)

REKORANGE.

Hongkong, July 28, 1908.

On London.

Bank Wire, 1.2/8

On demand, 1.10/8

On 30 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 60 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 90 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 120 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 150 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 180 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 210 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 240 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 270 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 300 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 330 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 360 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 390 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 420 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 450 days' sight, 1.10/8

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On 510 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 540 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 570 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 600 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 630 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 660 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 690 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 720 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 750 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 780 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 810 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 840 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 870 days' sight, 1.10/8

On 900 days' sight, 1.10/8

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore B, and those in the body of the Shipping midway between each shore are marked C, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.

2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.

3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Office.

4. From Harbour Office to the Market.

5. From the Market to Peddar's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.

8. From Blue Building to Kowloon Point.

9. From Kowloon Point to North Point.

10. Kowloon Wharf.

11. Jardine's Wharf.

VESSELS' NAMES.

CAPTAIN.

FLAG AND REG.

TONS.

DATE OF ARRIVAL.

CONSIGNEES OR AGENTS.

DESTINATION.

REMARKS.

Steamers.

Agamemnon, 5, Robinson, British str., 4481, July 26, Butterfield & Swire.

Anna, 5, Robinson, British str., 1569, July 19, Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Asia, 5, Robinson, British str., 1018, July 20, Agard, Thorsen & Co.

Bangkok, 5, Robinson, British str., 2933, July 18, O. & S. S. Co.

Barra, 5, Robinson, British str., 1238, July 18, Butterfield & Swire.

Bijun Maru, 5, Robinson, British str., 2940, July 23, Standard Oil Co.

Chongking, 5, Robinson, British str., 1118, July 26, Janka Shoen Kalahe.

Chihli, 5, Robinson, British str., 1266, July 23, Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Courtfield, 5, Robinson, British str., 1136, July 27, Butterfield & Swire.

Dakota, 5, Robinson, British str., 2334, May 23, Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Eastern, 5, Robinson, British str., 2340, July 24, Standard Oil Co.

Fausan, 5, Robinson, British str., 2727, July 24, Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Gregory Apoc, 5, Robinson, British str., 2961, July 29, David Sassoon & Co., Ltd.

Haitan, 5, Robinson, British str., 1183, July 29, Douglas Steamship Co.

Ichang, 5, Robinson, British str., 1201, July 24, Butterfield & Swire.

Ichang, 5, Robinson, British str., 1924, July 24, Butterfield & Swire.

Kama, 5, Robinson, British str., 1143, July 14, Butterfield & Swire.

Katherine Park, 5, Robinson, British str., 3076, July 8, Janka Shoen Kalahe.

Kee-wei, 5, Robinson, British str., 1116, July 27, Butterfield & Swire.

Koh-i-chang, 5, Robinson, British str., 1218, July 27, Butterfield & Swire.

Kwang, 5, Robinson, British str., 1228, July 27, Butterfield & Swire.

Kwang, 5, Robinson, British str., 1435, July 23, O. & S. S. Co.

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